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Application of: Coruzzi et al.

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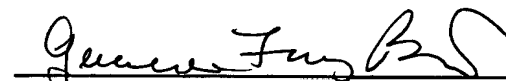
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Sir:

Attorneys for Applicants hereby request a two month extension of time for response to the non-final Office Action dated July 3, 2002 for the above-identified application from August 3, 2002 to and including October 3, 2002. Please Charge the required fees, estimated to be \$200.00, to Pennie & Edmonds LLP, Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed for accounting purposes.

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